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PARTICULARLY A PREFORM OF LARGE DIAMETER

NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the final Office Action dated March 21, 2002.

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